Atty. Dkt. No. 055053-0105

HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Eiji SHIBA et al.

Title:

RESIN COMPOSITION FOR A FOAMED PRODUCT AND

**USE THEREOF** 

Application No.:

10/562,449

International

06/17/2004

Filing Date:

371(c) Date:

12/27/2005

Examiner:

Irina Sopjia Zemel

Art Unit:

1796

Confirmation No.: 3547

## **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)** TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. § 141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. § 145 or § 146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on July 20, 2009.

Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement, including a Form

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PTO/SB/08 and three (3) references.

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The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For	Extra Prese	Claims ent		Rate	_	Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):							\$810.00	=_	\$810.00
Total Claims:	12	-	20	= 0		x	\$52.00	=_	\$0.00
Independents	3	-	3	= 0		x	\$220.00	=_	\$0.00
Fir	st presentatio	n of a	ny Multiple	Depender	nt Claims:	+	\$390.00	=_	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	S FE	E TOTAL:		\$810.00

## Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

\$130.00	) 1	Extension for response filed within the first month: \$130.00	[ X ]		
\$0.00	)	Extension for response filed within the second month: \$490.00			
\$0.00	)	Extension for response filed within the third month: \$1,110.00	[]		
\$0.00	)	Extension for response filed within the fourth month: \$1,730.00	[]		
\$0.00	)	Extension for response filed within the fifth month: \$2,350.00	[]		
\$130.00	:	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:			
\$0.00	: -	EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID:			
\$130.00		EXTENSION FEE TOTAL			
\$940.00	:	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			
\$0.00	[ ] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):				
\$0.00	[ ] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)				
\$940.00	:	TOTAL FEE:			

## A credit card payment form in the amount of \$940.00 to cover the <u>RCE filing fee</u> and a Petition for a one month extension of time is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

8/20/09

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Respectfully submitted,

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